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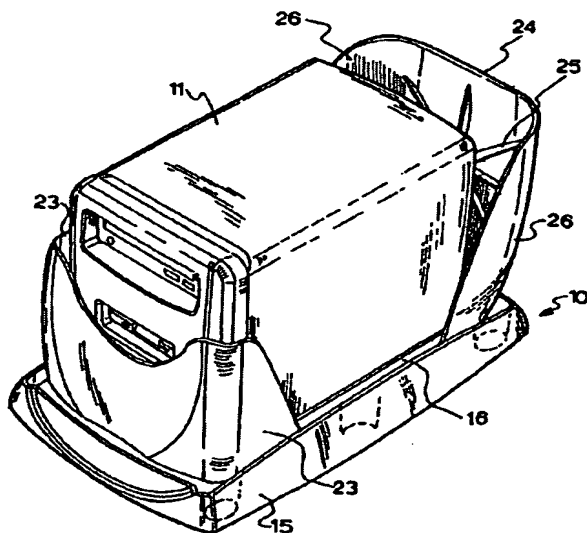
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(57) Abstract: A support base (10) for a computer (11) hav-  
ing a support body (15) with an upper surface side walls (16,  
23, 26) and a lower edge or body. The support base includes  
retention means which may preferably comprises a recess in  
the upper surface. The support means also includes weight  
bearing means which may comprise a series of spaced feet  
(19). The feet may terminate in non-slip surfaces or alterna-  
tively wheels. The support base preferably also includes an  
anterior wall (20) which may be hingedly fixed to the support  
base. The interior wall may be removable from the support  
body and be also continuous with side returns. The anterior  
wall is adapted to receive and display visual indicia. It may  
include the capacity to receive accessory components for the  
computer. The anterior wall may be adapted to provide ac-  
cess to control buttons and similar. Most preferably the sup-  
port base further includes a rearward cable shield (24). The  
cable shield may be adjustable in relation to its spacing from  
the interior wall. The support base may also include a cable  
storage space under the support body with a communicating  
aperture to provide access for cables to receiving plugs in  
the back of a computer. The support base is suitable for both  
tower and desktop configurations.

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